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IN RE THE APPLICATION OF
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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136, the applicant hereby petitions for an automatic extension of time of 1 month to respond to the Office Action of March 24, 2004. Response will therefore be timely if filed with the Patent and Trademark Office no later than July 26, 2004 (July 24, 2004 being a Saturday and July 25, 2004 being a Sunday).

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.17, the required fee of \$55 is attached hereto.

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Respectfully submitted,

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